

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said concurrent resolution.

¶94.30 S. 1355—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass bill of the Senate (S. 1355) to designate the United States courthouse located in New Haven, Connecticut, as the "Richard C. Lee United States Courthouse"; as amended.

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill, as amended?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, announced that two-thirds of those present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed.

By unanimous consent, the title was amended so as to read: "An Act to designate the United States courthouse located at 141 Church Street in New Haven, Connecticut, as the Richard C. Lee United States Courthouse."

A motion to reconsider the votes whereby the rules were suspended and said bill, as amended, was passed and the title was amended was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said amendments.

¶94.31 H.R. 81—UNFINISHED BUSINESS

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, pursuant to clause 5, rule I, announced the further unfinished business to be the motion to suspend the rules and pass the bill (H.R. 81) to designate the United States courthouse located at 401 South Michigan Street in South Bend, Indiana, as the "Robert K. Rodibaugh United States Bankruptcy Courthouse".

The question being put, viva voce, Will the House suspend the rules and pass said bill?

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, announced that two-thirds of those present had voted in the affirmative.

So, two-thirds of the Members present having voted in favor thereof, the rules were suspended and said bill was passed.

A motion to reconsider the vote whereby the rules were suspended and said bill was passed was, by unanimous consent, laid on the table.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk request the concurrence of the Senate in said bill.

¶94.32 WIPO COPYRIGHT TREATIES IMPLEMENTATION

On motion of Mr. COBLE, by direction of the Committee on the Judiciary and pursuant to clause 1 of rule XX, the bill (H.R. 2281) to amend title 17, United States Code, to implement the World Intellectual Property Organization Copyright Treaty and Perform-

ances and Phonograms Treaty; together with the amendment of the Senate thereto, was taken from the Speaker's table.

When on motion of Mr. COBLE, it was,

*Resolved*, That the House disagree to the amendment of the Senate and agree to the conference asked by the Senate on the disagreeing votes of the two Houses thereon.

Thereupon, the SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, by unanimous consent, appointed the following Members as managers on the part of the House at said conference:

From the Committee on the Judiciary, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. HYDE, COBLE, GOODLATTE, CONYERS and BERMAN.

From the Committee on Commerce, for consideration of the House bill and the Senate amendment, and modifications committed to conference: Messrs. BLILEY, TAUZIN and DINGELL.

*Ordered*, That the Clerk notify the Senate thereof.

¶94.33 MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT—NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO TOTAL INDEPENDENCE OF ANGOLA

The SPEAKER pro tempore, Mr. SNOWBARGER, laid before the House a message from the President, which was read as follows:

*To the Congress of the United States:*

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the *Federal Register* and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice, stating that the emergency declared with respect to the National Union for the Total Independence of Angola ("UNITA") is to continue in effect beyond September 26, 1998, to the *Federal Register* for publication.

The circumstances that led to the declaration on September 26, 1993, of a national emergency have not been resolved. The actions and policies of UNITA pose a continuing unusual and extraordinary threat to the foreign policy of the United States. United Nations Security Council Resolutions 864 (1993), 1127 (1997), 1173 (1998), and 1176 (1998) continue to oblige all member states to maintain sanctions. Discontinuation of the sanctions would have a prejudicial effect on the Angolan peace process. For these reasons, I have determined that it is necessary to maintain in force the broad authorities necessary to apply economic pressure to UNITA to reduce its ability to pursue its aggressive policies of territorial acquisition.

WILLIAM J. CLINTON.

THE WHITE HOUSE, September 23, 1998.

By unanimous consent, the message, together with the accompanying pa-

pers, was referred to the Committee on International Relations and ordered to be printed (H. Doc. 105-315).

¶94.34 WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER

AGAINST THE CONFERENCE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY H.R. 3616

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-740) the resolution (H. Res. 549) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 3616) to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1999 for military activities of the Department of Defense, to prescribe military personnel strengths for fiscal year 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶94.35 WAIVING POINTS OF ORDER

AGAINST THE CONFERENCE REPORT TO ACCOMPANY H.R. 4112

Mr. MCINNIS, by direction of the Committee on Rules, reported (Rept. No. 105-741) the resolution (H. Res. 550) waiving points of order against the conference report to accompany the bill (H.R. 4112) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1999, and for other purposes.

When said resolution and report were referred to the House Calendar and ordered printed.

¶94.36 ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

Mr. THOMAS, from the Committee on House Oversight, reported that that committee had examined and found truly enrolled a bill of the House of the following title, which was thereupon signed by the Speaker:

H.R. 1856. An Act to amend the Fish and Wildlife Act of 1956 to promote volunteer programs and community partnerships for the benefit of national wildlife refuges, and for other purposes.

¶94.37 SENATE ENROLLED BILL SIGNED

The SPEAKER announced his signature to an enrolled bill of the Senate of the following title:

S. 1695. An Act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to study the suitability and feasibility of designating the Sand Creek Massacre National Historic Site in the State of Colorado as a unit of the National Park System, and for other purposes.

¶94.38 LEAVE OF ABSENCE

By unanimous consent, leave of absence was granted—

To Mr. BURTON, for today and balance of the week;

To Mr. GOSS, for today and September 24;

To Mr. SHAW, for today; and

To Mr. DIAZ-BALART, for today.

And then,

¶94.39 ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. MCINNIS, at 8 o'clock and 22 minutes p.m., the House adjourned.